Supporting Information for

## Dense Arrangement of Crown Ethers in Graphene: Novel Graphitic Carbon Oxides with Enhanced Optoelectronic Properties

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| System | $C_xO_y$                        | primitive cell<br>area (Å <sup>2</sup> ) | nanopore<br>density (Å <sup>-2</sup> ) | System | C <sub>x</sub> O <sub>y</sub> | primitive cell<br>area (Å <sup>2</sup> ) | nanopore<br>density (Å <sup>-2</sup> ) |
|--------|---------------------------------|--|--|--------|-------------------------------|--|--|
| C3G-1  | $C_4O_3$                        | 20.22                                    | 4.95                                   | C5G-1  | $C_{28}O_{20}$                | 144.59                                   | 2.77                                   |
| C3G-2  | $C_{12}O_6$                     | 51.24                                    | 3.90                                   | C5G-2  | $C_{14}O_{10}$                | 73.24                                    | 2.73                                   |
| C3G-3  | $C_{16}O_6$                     | 60.59                                    | 3.30                                   | C5G-3  | $C_{20}O_{10}$                | 90.82                                    | 2.20                                   |
| C3G-4  | $C_{16}O_6$                     | 60.72                                    | 3.29                                   | C5G-4  | $C_{10}O_5$                   | 45.46                                    | 2.20                                   |
| C3G-5  | $C_8O_3$                        | 30.93                                    | 3.23                                   | C5G-5  | $C_{10}O_5$                   | 45.58                                    | 2.19                                   |
| C3G-6  | $C_{68}O_3$                     | 189.21                                   | 0.53                                   | C5G-6  | $C_{64}O_5$                   | 188.27                                   | 0.53                                   |
| C4G-1  | $C_6O_4$                        | 28.73                                    | 3.48                                   | C6G-1  | $C_6O_6$                      | 39.16                                    | 2.55                                   |
| C4G-2  | $C_8O_4$                        | 35.64                                    | 2.81                                   | C6G-2  | $C_{12}O_6$                   | 58.70                                    | 1.70                                   |
| C4G-3  | C <sub>36</sub> O <sub>16</sub> | 146.00                                   | 2.74                                   | C6G-3  | $C_{12}O_6$                   | 58.93                                    | 1.70                                   |
| C4G-4  | $C_{18}O_8$                     | 75.13                                    | 2.66                                   | C6G-4  | $C_{12}O_6$                   | 59.24                                    | 1.69                                   |
| C4G-5  | $C_{18}O_8$                     | 76.22                                    | 2.62                                   | C6G-5  | $C_{14}O_6$                   | 64.70                                    | 1.55                                   |
| C4G-6  | $C_{66}O_4$                     | 188.60                                   | 0.53                                   | C6G-6  | $C_{60}O_6$                   | 186.55                                   | 0.54                                   |

 Table S1. The nanopore density of CmG-n (m=3-6, n=1-6).



**Figure S1.** Top and side views of the optimized structures of (a) C3G-2, (b) C3G-3, (c) C3G-4, (d) C3G-5 and C3G-6.



**Figure S2.** Top and side views of the optimized structures of (a) C4G-2, (b) C4G-3, (c) C4G-4, (d) C4G-5 and C4G-6.



**Figure S3.** Top and side views of the optimized structures of (a) C5G-2, (b) C5G-3, (c) C5G-4, (d) C5G-5 and C5G-6.



**Figure S4.** Top and side views of the optimized structures of (a) C6G-2, (b) C6G-3, (c) C6G-4, (d) C6G-5 and C6G-6.



**Figure S5.** Fluctuation of temperature and energy against time for AIMD simulations at 400K: (a) C3G-1, (b) C4G-1, (c) C5G-1, (d) C6G-1. The initial and final snapshots of the simulations are also shown.



**Figure S6.** The band structures and DOS of (a) C3G-2, (b) C3G-3, (c) C3G-4, (d) C3G-5 and (e) C3G-6.



**Figure S7.** The band structures and DOS of (a) C4G-2, (b) C4G-3, (c) C4G-4, (d) C4G-5 and (e) C4G-6.



**Figure S8.** The band structures and DOS of (a) C5G-2, (b) C5G-3, (c) C5G-4, (d) C5G-5 and (e) C5G-6.



**Figure S9.** The band structures and DOS of (a) C6G-2, (b) C6G-3, (c) C6G-4, (d) C6G-5 and (e) C6G-6.



**Figure S10.** Orbital-projected band structures of (a) C atoms and (b) O atoms in C6G-5. The orange, green, pink and blue points represent the s,  $p_x$ ,  $p_y$  and  $p_z$  orbitals of C/O, respectively.



Figure S11. A diagram of the energy convergence standard test.